Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 31 Aug 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 01 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 31 Aug 2023 at 03:20 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high for the next few days, but some doubt about the amount of cloud and rain on Sunday and Monday.

Headline for Thursday 31 Aug 2023: Mainly dry and bright with some sunshine and light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 31 Aug 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: A dry and bright day with some spells of hazy sunshine. Clear spells in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Mainly small amounts of cloud bases 800-1000m. Very good visibilities.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	4/4 S	5/6 NE	6/9 SE	8/12 S	10/14 SE	6/8 SE	5/6 S
900	3/4 S	3/4 NE	5/8 SE	8/12 S	10/14 SE	6/8 SE	4/6 S
600	2/2 SE	4/5 N	5/9 S	7/11 S	10/13 S	5/6 S	2/4 S
300	1/3 NW	1/2 SE	5/8 SE	6/10 SE	7/13 SE	5/9 E	2/3 NE
Glen	1/2 W	3/4 E	5/8 SE	6/10 SE	6/11 SE	4/5 NE	2/5 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	5/4	5/3	7/5	8/5	7/5	6/4	5/4
900	7/6	7/6	9/8	10/8	10/7	8/6	6/5
600	8/7	9/8	12/11	13/12	11/9	9/8	7/6
300	9/8	12/12	15/14	16/15	14/12	10/9	8/7
Glen	9/9	13/13	16/15	16/15	14/14	10/9	8/7
Freezing Level*	1900m	1900m	1900m	2000m	1900m	1900m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Friday 01 Sep 2023
Weather: Dry with clear spells overnight. A bright day will follow with some lengthy spells of sunshine for most ranges. Largely clear skies in the evening.

Maximum wind: Easterly 10-15 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% or more.

Low Cloud and visibility: Visibilities very good with little if any cloud on the hills.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 2 rising to17 Celsius.
At 800m: plus 7 rising to12 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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